

Happy Summer!

These past few months, our Center has actively engaged partners advancing the field of early detection in their communities, **representing 21 states or counties across the United States:** from Hawai'i; to the midwestern region, Minnesota, Iowa, Kansas, Missouri, Marion County (Indiana); the southern region, Oklahoma, Texas, Mississippi, Louisiana, Georgia, Virginia, Kentucky, and Tennessee; to the northeastern region, New York City and State, Rhode Island, City of Boston, Connecticut, Vermont, and Maine.

We are thrilled to learn from and support all these programs. See our contact information at the bottom of this page to set up a meeting with us!

Webinar Recording Available

Community-Focused Brain Health & Aging Research with Black Men in the U.S. Lessons Learned

Increasing Equity in Dementia Research Requires Deeper Engagement with the African American Community



Thank you to all 262 live audience members who joined us to hear from our colleagues Joyce Balls-Berry, PhD, MPE (*top right*) and Robert W. Turner II, PhD (*top left*) to learn more about their efforts, partnerships, and experiences in increasing community engagement in early detection.

Watch the webinar recording on our [YouTube channel here](#), or on our [webinar page on our website](#).

Featured: Our Recent Webinar Expert,

Dr. Robert W. Turner II

Amid a dementia crisis, brain researchers try to recruit Black Americans

The New York & Michigan Solutions Journalism Collaborative is a group of news, academic and community organizations pooling time, talent and resources to cover chronic problems in our communities with a solutions lens. They recently featured Dr. Robert W. Turner II's research and community initiatives, such as his founding of the Black Men's Brain Health Initiative, to engage Black men in dementia and aging research.

[Read the article here.](#)

Our Center Co-Lead, Dr. Soo Borson,

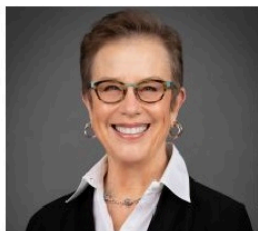
Presented at 2024 NAPA Advisory Council Meeting

The National Alzheimer's Project Act's (NAPA) Advisory Council on Alzheimer's Research, Care, and Services meets quarterly to discuss the efficacy of government programs targeting the needs of individuals and caregivers coping with the consequences of Alzheimer's disease and related dementias (AD/ADRD).

Dr. Soo Borson attended and presented at the April 2024 NAPA Advisory Council meeting in Washington, D.C. April 29 – 30, 2024. Dr. Borson presented during Clinical Care Panel: Focus on the Clinical Care Post Diagnosis.

“NO-CRISIS” CARE: Toward Lifetime Health and Wellbeing in Dementia

NAPA Advisory Council, April 29-30, 2024



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Participated in the 2024 NIA IMPACT Collaboratory

This year marked IMPACT's 3rd annual Scientific Conference on embedded Pragmatic Clinical Trials (ePCTs). The goal of the event is to disseminate knowledge, promote research development, and engage partners to improve the care and health outcomes of people living with dementia (PLWD) and their care partners. The conference provides an interactive forum for participants to present research and discuss emerging insights to improve dementia care.

This year's conference was open to the public and featured six topic-based moderated sessions with presentations from speakers from the IMPACT community and NIA- funded researchers. The three conference sessions can be viewed on LinkedIn Live. [Learn more and access the recordings here.](#)

Pictured below: Center Co-Lead, Dr. Joshua Chodosh, third from the right



Our BOLD Center at American Society on Aging

Earlier this Spring, Dr. Soo Borson, Center co-lead, with our community-based organization executive committee, Dr. Debra Cherry, Executive Vice President of Alzheimer's Los Angeles, and Sandy Markwood, CEO of USAging [shared a preview](#) of our early detection toolkit for community-based organizations. This panel was moderated by Heidi Holt Public Health Advisor, at the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC).

Dr. Matthew Lee, Center CEND Core co-lead, traveled to San Francisco to present our Center's [efforts in our Three Center CHW workgroup](#), a collaboration with the PHCOEs on Dementia Risk Reduction and Dementia Caregiving. The three PHCOEs led a roundtable discussion about the role of Community Health Worker (CHW) programs in public health dementia efforts.

Pictured below: Center Co-Lead, Dr. Soo Borson, right



New "Dementia Matters" Podcast Episode Features Our Center Co-Lead, Dr. Joshua Chodosh

Be BOLD: Detecting Dementia Early Through Public Health Initiatives

Dementia Matters is a podcast about Alzheimer's disease and other causes of dementia. Host Dr. Nathaniel Chin sat down with Dr. Joshua Chodosh, co-lead of our BOLD Center, to discuss how public health initiatives could improve dementia diagnoses and our BOLD Center's work on early detection of dementia.

Listen to the podcast here: <https://www.adrc.wisc.edu/dementia-matters/be-bold-detecting-dementia-early-through-public-health-initiatives>



Be BOLD: Detecting Dementia Early through Public Health Initiatives

Guest: Joshua Chodosh, MD, director, division of geriatric medicine and palliative care, Michael L. Freedman professor of geriatric research, Grossman School of Medicine, New York University, staff physician, VA Harbor Healthcare System



adrc.wisc.edu/podcast

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New "GeriPal" Podcast Episode Features Our Center Co-Lead, Dr. Soo Borson

GeriPal is a geriatrics and palliative care podcast for every healthcare professional. In this episode, Dr. Soo Borson, co-lead of our BOLD Public Health Center of Excellence on Early Detection of Dementia, joined Drs. Joseph Gaugler, director of the [BOLD Public Health Center of Excellence on Dementia Caregiving](#), and Anna Chodos, Principal Investigator of [Dementia Care Aware](#), discussed screening for dementia.

Listen to the podcast here: <https://geripal.org/screening-for-dementia-a-podcast-with-anna-chodos-joseph-gaugler-and-soo-borson/>



Guests:
Anna Chodos
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Center Co-Lead, Dr. Soo Borson, Serves as Guest Editor for Special Issue of *BMC Primary Care*

Call for Papers: Managing Neurodegenerative Disease in Primary Care

BMC Primary Care invites submissions for a Collection on Managing neurodegenerative disease in primary care. The Collection emphasizes the need for innovative strategies in primary care, covering early detection, interdisciplinary management, patient-centered interventions, technology integration, and education/training for providers.

Aligned with the UN Sustainable Development Goal 3: [Good Health and Well-being](#), the Collection underscores primary care's crucial role in improving health outcomes for those affected by neurodegenerative diseases.

Learn more at <https://www.biomedcentral.com/collections/MNDPC>.




Colorado ADRD Action Coalition Develops New Free e-Learning Module

The Colorado ADRD Action Coalition, in partnership with University of Colorado Practice Innovation, developed an eLearning Module Learning Opportunity: **Alzheimer's Disease and Related Dementias in Primary Care: Addressing Risk Factors, Early Diagnosis, and Care Planning**. This is an informational and interactive eLearning module designed for primary care teams to increase their knowledge and skills related to ADRD. The module discusses risk factors for ADRD, risk reduction strategies, evidence-based practices for culturally sensitive ADRD care, identifying a care partner, and using a team approach to ADRD care.

The module is free for all learners (across the United States) and completers of the module will receive two American Academy of Family Physicians (AAFP) CME credits.

To access the module please go to: <https://cuelearning.org/>

Click the Register link to create an account. For the Registration Code, please enter "**ADRD**" (not case sensitive). Please reach out to Monica Maly (monica.maly@state.co.us) with questions!



Two Upcoming NADRC Webinars

The National Alzheimer's and Dementia Resource Center (NADRC) is pleased to present two upcoming webinars. Information on both webinars and registration links can be found below.

August 12, 2024
3:00-4:00 p.m. ET

**Dementia Friendly Clark County, Nevada:
What Happens in Vegas Affects the World**

Dementia Friendly Clark County is a grassroots initiative dedicated to supporting individuals and families affected by dementia in the Las Vegas Valley. This presentation will illustrate how implementing dementia awareness training in one of the world's most renowned tourist destinations transcends community outreach, fostering a worldwide impact.

Learn more and register for the August 12th webinar: [08-12-2024 NADRC Webinar-Dementia Friendly Clark County, Nevada](#)

August 27, 2024
2:00-3:00 p.m. ET

**Cognitive Stimulation Therapy Programs:
Directly Supporting People Living with
Dementia**

In this webinar, two organizations, CaringKind and CareLink, will highlight their Cognitive Stimulation Therapy (CST) programs while sharing successes, challenges, and lessons learned. Both organizations are seeking to build sustainable models of care through efficient service delivery models that don't compromise quality care.

Learn more and register for the August 27th webinar: [08-27-2024 NADRC Webinar-Cognitive Simulation Therapy Programs](#)

New Book Publication

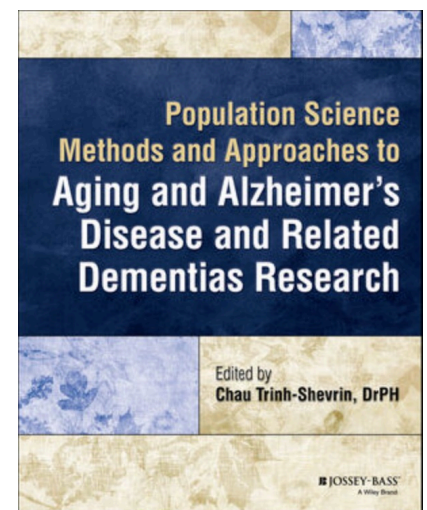
Population Science Methods and Approaches to Aging and Alzheimer's Disease and Related Dementias Research

We are pleased to announce the newly published book, edited by our co-investigator, Chau Trinh-Shevrin, DrPH, with contributions from our Center co-lead, Joshua Chodos, MD, and co-investigator, Matthew Lee, DrPH, MPH.

Gain a thorough understanding of the determinants of health among aging populations, how disparities arise in diverse communities, and what can be done

Learn more and get the book* at [Amazon](#), [Walmart](#), or [Barnes & Noble](#)

*Our Center has copies available to interested partners. Please reach out to our Center's email address below.



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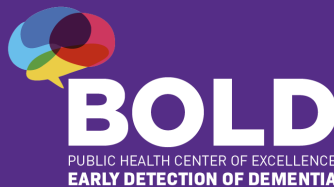
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